

WRIGHT GETS A REVELATION

Condition of the Winnebagos the Worst of Any Tribe in Country.

OUTSIDERS EXCLUDED FROM INQUIRY

Rev. Father Schell Indignant and Asserts It May Render Effort to Get at the Facts of No Avail.

SIoux CITY, Ia., Oct. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Ten times worse than the other Indian reservations in the United States, is what O. Wright, government Indian inspector, said about conditions at the Winnebago reservation after spending the day listening to testimony regarding the morals of the Indians.

"I never heard anything like it," said Mr. Wright. "I could tell you things that would raise your hair, but I do not suppose you would want to print them in your paper. I am convinced that there is not another Indian reservation in the United States where the conditions would compare for rottenness with those I have found to exist on the Winnebago reservation. A system of organized free love seems to have prevailed over here, and not very well organized at that."

"Four different cases of assault on young Indian girls were reported by one witness," said the inspector. "He testified that he saw Indian boys make the attacks on the Indian girls in the open highway." Dr. E. S. Hart, physician at the agency, testified as to the deplorable condition of the Winnebagos as to general diseases. He said he had had experience among three tribes, the Sioux, the Chippewas and the Winnebagos. The Sioux were the cleanest of the three, the Winnebagos the worst by far. Mr. Wright said the evidence had disclosed that about one-half the Indians were afflicted.

"The Indians of this reservation have had almost no regard for the marriage relation," declared the inspector. "Conditions are nothing short of frightful. Few couples take the trouble to go through any marriage ceremony, and the men and women change about from one to another as it suits them. I have been around the reservations a good deal, but this beats me. I would not brand all the men and women on the reservation as unchaste. I am speaking of general conditions."

Father Schell indignant. Disgusted, but still undaunted, Father Joseph Schell will do his best under the latest handicap put on him by Inspector A. O. Wright to get needed reforms for the Winnebago reservation of the present investigation. "He does not expect to be successful, judging from the way things are now going, but he says:

"These frauds must be stopped, the corruptionists must be restrained and the Indians must be protected. I have in my pocket a letter from the present investigation. It is a document which will accompany me to Washington and together we will lay our evidence before President Roosevelt and Secretary Hitchcock."

Father Schell spent Saturday night at the Hotel Moundmin in this city. He declared in his interview with The Bee that he had told Inspector Wright in the plainest words at his command of his intention. "I asked the inspector," said the priest, "How will you appear to the public if another investigation is ordered as soon as you finish this one?"

Priest becomes insistent. The new order that none shall attend the investigation excepting the inspector, his stenographer and the witness, resulted from the priest's becoming insistent that evidence go into the records just as given, and that the inspector discontinue passing judgment finally in a case before all the evidence is in. Another cause of the priest's being refused admission to the inquiry was because of his feeling engendered over incidents which to the priest indicated clearly that the inspector was favoring the other side.

Father Schell is still, despite his wrangling with the inspector, willing to give Mr. Wright credit for doing what the priest believes he was sent out to do. Father Schell does object, however, to being excluded from the hearing, because Commissioner Jones, in his instructions to Inspector Wright, told the latter that Father Schell should have an opportunity to prove his charges.

"How am I to conduct my case, which was difficult enough when I was present in the room, from the outside? How am I to know what goes into the records and what is left out?" asks the priest. "My last day before in the inquiry court was a day of real warfare," said the priest. "All around me sat my enemies, whispering in the ears of the inspector and the inspector refusing to accept proofs from me to offset mere statements of the other side. I had to fight to have my testimony taken down as it was given and I spent the day struggling single handed against that roomful of antagonists."

"Our wrangling began when Inspector Wright refused to enforce my demand for dates on notes and receipts and of statements made in regard to John Ashford's leasing of Green Rainbows land. Green Rainbows testified that he had leased his farm to Ashford in 1897, 1898 and 1899, for 1898, taking a team in payment and giving notes to be cancelled as the rent became due. To account for two notes, which had not been cancelled at the time they fell due, Ashford claimed the land was taken from him, and that payment was made on them to cover other debts. The Indian testified that these two notes were paid in rent and that the money they had been collected two more times."

"Inspector Wright took the Indian's confession of debt to Ashford in 1898 to cover the transaction of several years before. If dates had been required this would have come out plainly."

Inspector Passes Judgment. "I objected to this action most vigorously, but the inspector said: 'Father Schell, I shall insist and shall so report to Washington that the books of Ashford show he has dealt fairly with Green Rainbows.' "All right," I replied, as calmly as I could. "The matter is not to be settled this way; it will have to be gone over again and the truth will come out."

"I had much trouble getting positive statements of Green Rainbows incorporated in the reports. When the Indian said he was 'sure' the O'Connors had forged checks and drawn out some of his money and that he got none of it, it was put down that Green Rainbows 'thinks it was done.' I called attention to the time when the Cedar county farmers testified that the Ashfords and O'Connors had warned them against bidding on homestead lands and tried all means in their power to find out on what land they were bidding and how much offered, that the stenographer neglected to put those statements down."

COURING BRINGS A CROWD

All-Age Stakes Productive of Unusually Good Sport.

WAVE OF FORTUNE TAKES FIRST PRIZE

Dogs and Hares to Be Given a Day's Rest and Then Commence Premier Event, the Waterloo Cup Races.

FRIEND, Neb., Oct. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—The second round and final of the all age stakes were run this afternoon, as well as the decision as to who should hold the William Burke cup. The weather has been cool and the conditions good for both dogs and hares. During this stake the enthusiasm has been higher than during the progress of the previous races.

The second round was as follows: Pathfinder beat Lady Allen. Merry Clair and Fox E. Land drawn. Billy Dugan beat Abby Side. Eddie's ran a bye. White Hat beat Lord Lismore. Advertiser beat Northern Express. Northern Express beat Leki. Leclair beat Patched Up. Sir Peter beat Surprize. Cuning Curio beat Joe Doyle. Limerick Belle beat Hopeless Harry. Harry's ran a bye. Troublesome beat Northern Light. Sir Peter beat Finest Ever.

Wave of Fortune beat William. Miss Tiddle beat Always in Front. Lady Roberts beat Razzle Dazzle. Eddie's ran a bye. Sly Go Bell beat King Edward. Third round: Faithful beat Merry Clair. Billy Dugan beat Abby Side. Northern Express beat White Hat. Advertiser beat Surprize. Celtic beat Cuning Curio. Limerick Belle beat Barefoot Boy. Sir Peter beat Surprize. Wave of Fortune beat Miss Tiddle. Marvins Clair beat Lady Roberts. Sly Go Bell ran a bye. Fourth round: Advertiser beat Pathfinder. Northern Express beat Billy Dugan. Limerick Belle beat Razzle Dazzle. Marvins Clair beat Sly Go Bell. Fifth round: Advertiser beat Northern Express. Wave of Fortune beat Limerick Belle. Marvins Clair ran a bye. Semi-final: Advertiser beat Marvins Clair. Wave of Fortune ran a bye.

Final: Wave of Fortune beat Advertiser. Wave of Fortune gets first money and the William Burke cup. The winning dog is owned by J. J. Lavis of St. Louis. Advertiser, the runner up and winner of second money, is owned by E. Corn of Augusta, Kan.

The races this afternoon were for blood and the hares, seeming to take the interest, ran with apparently renewed vigor. Tuesday and Wednesday will be devoted to resting up the dogs before engaging in the Waterloo cup, to be run on Thursday and Friday, the 27th and 28th.

Never in the history of racing in Friend has there been gathered together so orderly and good-natured a crowd. Most of the citizens have opened their homes for the entertainment of the visitors at races of the Memphis weather club today. Every one is looking forward to the Waterloo event as the crowning one of the whole season of sports. Better and more enjoyable weather is predicted for these races.

HARNESS RACING AT MEMPHIS

Major Delmar Lowers World's Record for Unpaced Trotters. MEMPHIS, Oct. 21.—Major Delmar, owned by E. S. Smith of New York and driven by Alta McDonald, established a new world's record for unpaced trotters at the Memphis track today when he circled the track in 2:04.4, the previous record being 2:05.4, held jointly by Major Delmar and Leo Cent (Honey). Performances were cheered by a large crowd, and horsemen generally were of the opinion that had the weather been cold and windy, the record would have been broken. Major Delmar, the pacing champion, was sent against his own unpaced mark in 1894, but he failed to equal this record. Both Delmar and Patch were accompanied by runners on the side.

The Sunny South stakes for 213 class racers, value \$2,000, went to Broncho in straight heats. Ash Rose was second. Summaries: The Sunny South: 213 race, \$2,000; two in three: The Broncho, b. m. (Dean)..... 1 1 1 Ash Rose, b. h. (Snow)..... 2 2 2 Birdie B. gr. m. (Marab)..... 3 3 3 Nonhu, b. h. (Erwin)..... 4 4 4 Three Feet for the Cent (Honey)..... 5 5 5 Time: 2:07, 2:08.4.

216 race, \$1,000, two in three: Gayell, b. h. (Snow)..... 1 1 1 Funston, fo. c. by Dietz (Snow)..... 2 2 2 Emil D. b. g. (Rafferty)..... 3 3 3 Bonita, b. m. (Sullivan)..... 4 4 4 Time: 2:14, 2:15.4.

212 trot, amateur drivers, two in three: Imogene, ch. m., by Elyria (Mr. Bill)..... 1 1 1 Ilve, b. m. (Mr. Jones)..... 2 2 1 Time: 2:24, 2:25.4.

217 pace, amateur drivers, two in three (unhitched): Dry Monopie, b. g. by Clay King (Mr. Jones)..... 1 1 1 Don N. ro. g. (Mr. Shepard)..... 2 2 2 Greenleaf, b. g. (Mr. Billings)..... 3 3 3 Time: 2:30, 2:31.4.

Major Delmar, b. e., by Delmar (McDonald), to beat 2:04.4, trotting. Time by quarters: 62.1, 1:29.4, 2:04.4. Dan Patch, br. h., by Joe Patchen (Honey), to beat 2:04.4, trotting. Time by quarters: 63.0, 6:35.4, 1:30, 2:04.4.

BASE BALL ASSOCIATION MEETS

Representatives of Thirteen Leagues in Session at New York. NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—The annual meeting of the American Association of Professional Base Ball Leagues opened here today. Representatives of thirteen leagues were present. Late in the afternoon the national board went into executive session to consider thirty-one disputes and formally submitted questions to the board. It is composed of M. H. Sexton of Rock Island, Ill.; J. H. O'Rourke of Bridgeport, Conn.; M. J. Murphy of Boston, W. H. Lucas of Spokane, Wash.; W. H. Kavanaugh of Little Rock, Ark.; and H. F. Farnham of New York, N. Y., as secretary.

Tonight the Eastern league gave the visitors a smoker and vaudeville entertainment. Tomorrow the base ball men will be taken to the Waldorf-Astoria and Wednesday night President P. T. Fowen of the Eastern league will give a banquet for the members. Among the representatives present are: Western League—M. Sexton, Rock Island, Mo.; Denver Union League—H. Farnham, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Pacific Coast League—W. H. Lucas, Spokane, Wash.; Missouri Valley League—D. H. Shively, Kansas City, Mo.; Texas League—J. D. Roberts, Corsicana, Tex.; Southwestern League—E. A. Barnes, Oklahoma.

Others present are: Eugene F. Burke of St. Paul, Minn., president of the Pacific Coast league; Henry Harris, president of the San Francisco club of the same league; Cal Kwing, president of the Oakland, Cal. club.

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club of the Pacific Coast league; James R. Morely, president of the Los Angeles club; J. E. Grillo, president of the American association; Chas. H. Smith, president of the Louisville club, owner of three American association clubs.

EVENTS ON THE RUNNING TRACKS

Glen Echo Wins the Lyubrook Handicap at Jamaica. NEW YORK, Oct. 22.—Glen Echo, at 12 to 1, easily won the Lyubrook handicap at Jamaica today. Glen Echo, practically unbeaten, took the lead early and retained it winning by five lengths. Augur, the favorite, was interfered with and never a contender. Two favorites won. Results: First race, six furlongs, beating: A. S. Johnson (5 to 1) won, Confessor second, Kirtie First third, Time: 1:18. Second race, mile and a sixteenth, selling: Champion (5 to 2) won, Revolve second, South Triple third, Time: 1:54. Third race, six and a half furlongs: Crown Prince (8 to 5) won, Rooster second, Arcuate third, Time: 1:49.2. Fourth race, the Lyubrook handicap, six and a half furlongs: Glen Echo (12 to 1) won, Casara second, Passadena third, Time: 1:11. Fifth race, mile and a quarter, selling: Cloverleaf (5 to 1) won, Stoneval second, The Southern third, Time: 2:58.4. Sixth race, mile and a furlong: Garbuncle (4 to 1) won, Warhorse second, Ethics third, Time: 1:59.4. Seventh race, six furlongs: Antomation (4 to 1) won, Lem Reed second, Dr. Moody third, Time: 1:19.2. Second race, mile and fifty yards: Empress (5 to 1) won, Falcorn second, Falcornian third, Time: 1:46. Third race, six furlongs: New Mown Hay (5 to 1) won, The Crisis second, Mezzo third, Time: 1:14. Fourth race, mile and a half: News (3 to 1) won, Miss Crawford second, Brand New third, Time: 1:40.5. Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth mile: Federal (6 to 1) won, Meisterstinger second, Ethylene third, Time: 1:48.4. Sixth race, mile and a furlong: Colonel Rupert (2 to 1) won, Gold Enamel second, Logistic third, Time: 1:50.4. Seventh race, mile and a half: Delmar Park: First race, five and a half furlongs: Trouser (5 to 1) won, Cotta Stone second, Time: 1:50.4. Second race, mile and a furlong: Gumbo (5 to 1) won, Fitzbrillar second, Dr. Burns third, Time: 1:42.4. Third race, five and a half furlongs: Clara Dee (4 to 1) won, Russell A. second, Hendigo third, Time: 1:50.4. Fourth race, handicap, steeplechase, short Aden (5 to 1) won, Anne Davis second, Elmhurst third, Time: 2:54.4. Fifth race, mile and a sixteenth: Miss Betty (8 to 1) won, Orient second, Bengal third, Time: 1:47.6. Sixth race, mile and an eighth, selling: Second Mate (4 to 1) won, George Vixen second, Judge (5 to 1) third, Time: 1:50.4. CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 21.—Results at Latonia: First race, six furlongs: Gladstone (5 to 1) won, J. Ed. Grillo second, Maggie Lerner third, Time: 1:44. Second race, five and a half furlongs: Bashford Belle (4 to 5) won, Steel Trap second, Agnes Vixen third, Time: 1:50.4. Third race, mile and a furlong: Royal Legend (3 to 1) won, Lou Merrill second, Peggy third, Time: 1:57.4. Fourth race, handicap, steeplechase, short Ram's Horn (3 to 5) won, Bowling Bridge second, Harpoon third, Time: 1:50.4. Fifth race, five and a half furlongs: Glenwood (2 to 1) won, Annie Williams second, Kierle third, Time: 1:48.4. KANSAS CITY, Oct. 21.—Results at Elm Ridge: First race, six furlongs: Joe Goss (5 to 5) won, Dan Collins second, Sir Andrew third, Time: 1:19.4. Second race, five furlongs: Royal Legend (3 to 1) won, Lou Merrill second, Peggy third, Time: 1:57.4. Third race, mile and a sixteenth: Flo Bob (5 to 5) won, Lella second, Elle third, Time: 1:47.4. Fourth race, six furlongs: Tyrolon (5 to 1) won, Tom Shelly second, Lotetta, M. third, Time: 1:52.4. Fifth race, steeplechase, full course, Time: 2:54.4.

North Platte Too Strong.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—The North Platte high school football team returned yesterday morning from Kearney, where it defeated Kearney Military academy on Saturday by the score of 19 to 0. The Kearney boys put up a stubborn fight, but were unable to stop the furious dashes of the North Platte backs into their line, and their offensive played like a stone wall in North Platte's rush line.

World's Fair Poultry Show Opens.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 22.—The World's fair poultry show, which opened today, is the largest ever held. The number of entries being 15,000. Forty-one states and six foreign countries are represented by exhibitors, among whom are the most prominent breeders of the United States, Canada and Europe. The show will continue ten days.

The Game at Humboldt.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—The foot ball game Saturday afternoon between the high school teams and the Pawnee Academy players was witnessed by a good sized crowd and was exciting throughout. A tie resulted, both sides failing to score, leaving the matter of superiority to be settled at some future date.

Clearwater Wins at Pool.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.—William H. Clearwater of Pittsburg won the first match today in the national pool tournament from Frank Sherman of Washington, D. C., by a score of 15 to 9. Clearwater's high run was 19 and Sherman made 34.

Pawnee City Defeats Table Rock.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Table Rock high school and Pawnee City high school met Saturday and played a hard fought game on the Table Rock gridiron which at the close was 13 to 9 in favor of Pawnee City.

Plattsburgh Wins Game.

PLATTSBURGH, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Havelock foot ball team played the Plattsburgh team on the latter's grounds. Score, 6 to 0 in favor of the home team.

DEATH RECORD.

Jacob Hoop. HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Jacob Hoop, who was born in Union county, Pennsylvania, and who has been a resident of Nebraska and this county for thirty-four years, died this morning at an early hour at his home in this city after a steady decline in health for the past year or two. Mr. Hoop was born in 1825 and leaves several grown children in this vicinity. His wife has been dead a number of years.

Lady Dilke.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Lady Dilke, wife of Rt. Hon. Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke, died suddenly today at her residence in Woking. She was born September 2, 1810.

Lady Dilke died as the result of the rupture of a blood vessel.

HYMENEAL.

Dew-Butler. TECUMSEH, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Colonel J. S. Dew and Mrs. Florence Butler were married at the home of the bride in this city last evening the service being performed by Rev. J. W. Embree of the Methodist church. But few friends of the contracting parties were in attendance. Colonel and Mrs. Dew departed on a late train for Lincoln this evening they

Anna Wanrow of this city were united in marriage by the county judge of Nemaha county and will make their home on a farm northeast of this city. The bride is a daughter of Julius Wanrow of this city, while the groom is a young farmer.

Third Man Arrested.

Roy Harrold, arrested on the charge of being the third man implicated in the holdup of Carl Hillers at Fifteenth and Broadway streets last week, has been bound over from the police to the district court on the charge of robbery. The bond was placed at \$1,500. William F. Vandewell and Cleveland Kern were arraigned on Saturday on the charge of being implicated with Harrold in the holdup of Hillers. Vandewell and Kern were bound over on a bond of \$1,500 each.

Frish-Wanrow.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Theodore W. Frisch and Miss Anna Wanrow of this city were united in marriage by the county judge of Nemaha county and will make their home on a farm northeast of this city. The bride is a daughter of Julius Wanrow of this city, while the groom is a young farmer.

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